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Land Grant Application- Ford, Miles (Clinton)

Miles Ford

Susannah Ford

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Remond Nov. 4 1836 I certify that from evidence
this day had I am satisfied that Susanna
Ford of Clinton was the wife & widow of Miles
Ford of Clinton a person deceased.

Wm. Fuller Secy.
of Probate Remond 6.

Josannah Ford 392

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Lot 26 in No 4 DP
dated June 7, 1836

STATE OF MAINE.

LAND OFFICE,

Augusta, Nov. 7. 1835

N. 392.)
I HEREBY CERTIFY, That *Susannah Ford*
of *Clinton* in the County of *Mennebec*,
widow of *Miles Ford* late of said *Clinton*, deceased,
by declaration sworn to on the *15th* day of *May* 1835,
(See claim N. 193.)

and other accompanying evidence has satisfactorily proved her claim
to the benefits of a "Resolve in favor of certain officers and soldiers of
the Revolutionary war and the widows of deceased officers and soldiers,"
approved March 17, A. D. 1835, and that "THE LAWFUL HOLDER" of this
certificate is entitled, under the provisions of a Resolve additional to said
Resolve, approved March 16, 1836, to **TWO HUNDRED ACRES OF
LAND.**

Wm. Hodgson Land Agent of Maine.

*Exam. & countersigned,
Mr. Martz*

Know all men by these Presents, that I Susannah
Ford (widow of Miles Ford) of Clinton in the County of
Humboldt and State of Maine, for and in consideration
of Seventy dollars to me paid by Geo. W. Monton
the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, do
hereby sell, transfer, and assign to said Monton, all my
right title and interest to the within Certificate and
to the land to which I am entitled by virtue of said
within Certificate, and do hereby authorize said
Monton to represent me before the Land Agent of
State of Maine or any other person authorized
by said State to make and execute a deed of said
land to which said within Certificate is entitled, and
receive a deed of the same in his own name or
his agents name instead of mine. In testimony
whereof I hereunto set my hand and Seal this 24th
day of December 1836

Signed, sealed & delivered
in presence of

David Hudson

George W. Monton

her
Susannah Ford
mark

Susannah Ford 193.
widow of Miles Ford
Application for land.

Recd. May 27. 1835,
~~Judge to certify.~~

Admitted 36 in
N^o. 392. sp. Nov. 7. 1836,
J. D. C. W. M. M. E. E.

I *Susannah Ford* of *Clinton* in the County of *Kennebec* and State of Maine, aged *twenty five* years, do, upon oath declare, in order to obtain the benefit of a Resolve of the Legislature of Maine, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," that I am the widow of *Miles Ford* late of *Clinton* in the County of *Kennebec* and State of Maine, who died at

Clinton on the *July* day of *July* A. D. 1831
That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, *Miles Ford* did enlist *as a private for three years in the year 1777 into Capt Darby Camps 8th Bnley regt of the Mep line in the Revolution and was discharged in the year 1780 at West Point having served the full period of three years &c on honorable discharge. at the time of his decease he was a pensioner of the U. States of the Maine Army for the above service*

Bowdoin or Kittery in the then State of Great Britain
do further on oath declare that I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, *Miles Ford* was at the time of his said enlistment, an inhabitant of

and that I do know that he was at the time of his decease as aforesaid, an inhabitant of the said State of Maine, residing in *Clinton* aforesaid, where he had resided for *Several* years before his decease. That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that neither my said late husband, nor any one claiming under him did receive, (nor have I received since his decease,) a grant of Land, or money in lieu thereof, from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for his said service, or any other service during the Revolutionary War, and that I am therefore justly entitled to the full benefit of said Resolve.

Attest *Matthews Weeks*

Susannah Ford
Mark

STATE OF MAINE.

Kennebec SS.....Subscribed and sworn to this *fifteenth* day of *May* 1835
BEFORE ME,

Matthews Weeks

Justice of the Peace.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I,

Susannah Ford of *Clinton* in the County of *Kennebec* and State of Maine, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made, do hereby constitute and appoint *Robert C. Vose*, of *Auburn*, in the County of *Kennebec*, my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my name, to receive from the Land Agent of the State of Maine, such certificate as he may issue to me, in virtue of a Resolve of the said State, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," to the benefit of which Resolve I am entitled. And my said Attorney is hereby authorized and empowered upon the receipt of said certificate, for me and in my name, to execute such receipt or acknowledgment thereof, as I might, were I personally present.

HEREBY ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof, Witness my hand and seal this *fifteenth* day of *May* A. D. 1835

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED
IN PRESENCE OF

Matthews Weeks

Susannah Ford
Mark

STATE OF MAINE.

Kennebec SS.
Be it Known, that on this *fifteenth* day of *May* 1835, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said County, personally appeared *Susannah Ford* above named, and acknowledged the foregoing Power of Attorney by her signed, to be her free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto subscribe my name the day and year last above mentioned.

Matthews Weeks

Justice of the Peace.

I Susannah Ford of Clinton in the County of Kennebec and State of Maine, aged Seventy six years, do, upon oath declare, in order to obtain the benefit of a Resolve of the Legislature of Maine, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," that I am the widow of Miles Ford late of Clinton in the County of Kennebec and State of Maine, who died at Clinton on the 15 day of August A. D. 1830

That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, Miles Ford did enlist in a private for three years in the year 1777 into Capt Barley Camp 86th Regiment of the Massachusetts in the army of the Revolution and was discharged at West Point in the year 1780 having served the full period of three years and an honorable discharge for which service he was upon the U. S. State pension roll of the Maine agency

I do further on oath declare that I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, Miles Ford was at the time of his said enlistment, an inhabitant of Kittery, in the then District of Maine and that I do know that he was at the time of his decease as aforesaid, an inhabitant of the said State of Maine, residing in Clinton aforesaid, where he had resided for several years before his decease. That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that neither my said late husband, nor any one claiming under him did receive, (nor have I received since his decease,) a grant of Land, or money in lieu thereof, from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for his said service, or any other service during the Revolutionary War, and that I am therefore justly entitled to the full benefit of said Resolve.

Attest
Jacob Ames Susannah Ford
Charles, 281105 Mark

STATE OF MAINE.

SS.....Subscribed and sworn to this twenty third day of June 1836
BEFORE ME,

Wm Ames

Justice of the Peace.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I,

Susannah Ford of Clinton in the County of Kennebec and State of Maine, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made, do hereby constitute and appoint ROBERT C. VOSE, of Augusta, in the County of Kennebec, my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my name, to receive from the Land Agent of the State of Maine, such certificate as he may issue to me, in virtue of a Resolve of the said State, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," to the benefit of which Resolve I am entitled. And my said Attorney is hereby authorized and empowered upon the receipt of said certificate, for me and in my name, to execute such receipt or acknowledgment therefor, as I might, were I personally present.

HEREBY ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof, Witness my hand and seal this twenty third day of June A. D. 1836

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED
IN PRESENCE OF

Jacob Ames Susannah Ford
Charles, 281105 Mark

STATE OF MAINE.

SS. Susannah Ford
Be it Known, that on this twenty third day of June 1836, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said County, personally appeared Susannah Ford above named, and acknowledged the foregoing Power of Attorney by her signed, to be her free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto subscribe my name the day and year last above mentioned.

Wm Ames

Justice of the Peace.

October 24-1836
 Kennebec Co., Attorney Robert C. Vose named in this Power of Attorney died soon after it was executed. I have this day by the request of Mrs Susannah Ford, and in her presents counsel said Vose's name and substituted W. J. Cottonator in his place and to full Mary J. Ames Justice of the Peace